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UNCLAS. JULY 13. DIARIO DE HOY, HIGH CIRCULATION, CONSERVATIVE DAILY, CONTINUED ITS ATTACK ON THE UNESCO MEETING IN SAN JOSE. IN A LEAD EDITORIAL ENTITLED "AN INSOLENT ATTEMPT AGAINST PRESS FREEDOM", THE PAPER HIT HARD AT COSTA RICA'S "TACIT AGREEMENT TO CONSPIRE WITH THE MEETING'S ORGANIZERS."
SPANISH TEXT (ESSENTIALLY COMPLETE):

"PARA ESTE DIA SE HA SENALADO EN SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA, EL INICIO DE LA REUNION INTERGUBERNAMENTAL PROYECTADA POR LA UNESCO, A FIN DE ESTABLECER "POLITICAS DE COMUNICACION" QUE LA SOCIEDAD IFGER-AMERICANA DE PRENSA Y PRACTICAMENTE LA TOTALIDAD DE LOS PERIODICOS INDEPENDIENTES DE LA AMERICA, CONSIDERAN COMO UN VERDADERO ATENTADO. EN NUESTRA NOTA EDITORIAL DEL 25 DE JUNIO PASADO, INTITULADA: UN SOMBRIO PROYECTO CONTRA LA LIBERTAD, EXPUSIMOS NUESTRA OPINION Y PEDIAMOS HACER FRENTE EN SAN JOSE PARA EXPRESAR EL REPUDIO O LA CONDENACION MORAL CONTRA LA UNESCO...

"YA EN NOTA ANTERIOR ENTRE LAS QUE ESCRIBIMOS PARA LA REUNION DE LA SIP EN SAO PAULO, EN OCTUBRE DEL PROXIMO PASADO, NOSOTROS INSISTIAMOS ECBLA NECESIDAD DE ORGANIZARNOS PARA LA DEFENSA PORQUE LA MAREA SOCIALISTA-SO-PRETEXTO DE MEJORAR LA VIDA DE LAS MASAS- HA IDO AUMENTANDO EL NUMERO DE SUS BASES DESDE DONDE ATACAR GL

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ILMENTE LOS DECRECHOS NATURALES DEL HOMBRE...

HACIAMOS VER LA TACTICA MEDIANTE LA CUAL LOS GOBIERNOS CASI TODOS
DE LA AMERICA HAN VENIDO PREPARANDOSE PARA ACABAR CON LOS PER-
IODICOS LIBRES Y DE UNA VEZ TERMINAR LA FORJA DE LU
CADENASIB

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ECTIVISTAS. LO CURIOSO, POR NO DECIR LASTIMOSO, DEL CASO, ES
QUE LAS LIBERTADES DEMOCRATICAS DE REUNION, EXPRESION, TRABAJO,
RESIDENCIA Y DE CULTOS, HAN IDO DETERIORANDOSE Y CASI DES-
APARECIENDO. "COMO CENTROAMERICANOS, DIRIAMOS QUE NOS DUELE QUE
COSTA RICA HAYA EXPRESADO TACITAMENTE SU ACUERDO CON LOS CON-
SPIRADORES DE LA UNESCO...
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